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Inventor(s): Karen Capers et al.

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For: OBJECT COMMUNICATION SERVICES SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM
AND METHODS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time in the above-identified patent application in order to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed October 26, 2001. This extension is for one (1) month and will extend the due date from December 26, 2001 to January 26, 2002.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 for the extension fee of \$110.00. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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